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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO MAY 3, 2007 NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Non-final Office Action mailed May 3, 2007 (hereinafter "the Office Action"), Applicants submit this Amendment and accompanying remarks. Applicants submit that this response is timely filed on November 5, 2007 (November 3, 2007 being a Saturday) with a petition for a three-month extension of time and appropriate fee.

Amendments to the Claims are shown in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin at page 7 of this paper.